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RE:

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/716,378 entitled "COMPOSITIONS FOR ACHIEVING BENEFITS IN SKIN USING KEY CELLULAR METABOLIC INTERMEDIATES" – John

R. Schlitz

Client reference: 2003-01860/694.01

Our reference: MKAY:032US

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Serial No.: 10/716,378

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For: COMPOSITIONS FOR ACHIEVING BENEFITS IN SKIN USING KEY

CELLULAR METABOLIC

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	A1	5,720,963	2/24/98	Smith	424	401	10/18/95
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	C1	Packman and Gans, "Topical moisturizers: quantification of tier effect on superficial facial lines," J. Soc. Cosmetic Chem., 29:79-90, 1978.		
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